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## ASH GROVE CEMENT WEST, INC.

### Inter-Office Memorandum

Date December 15, 1987

To Jim Post, Erik Voldbaek

From Ken Rone

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Subject Activity Report Week Ending 12/13/87

- 12/8 1. Received permit issued by King County Dept. of Grading and the Dept. of Natural Resource Surface Mining Permit. DNR bonding is still in dispute. Though the \$17K bond was received the Department now says they were in error and will require \$120 K. The permit was issued despite this question.
- 12/8 2. Wrote letters to U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, State Dept. of Fisheries and City of Seattle Division of Construction and Land Use to transfer permits issued to Kaiser to our name so West Terminal dredging can commence. Contacted Department of Ecology for their approval of upland fill site. Contacted General Construction for performance of actual dredging. Awaiting approved permits so dredging to -35 feet can be completed prior to April 1. Latest survey shows clear channel to -32.5 feet, pilots say -28.5 feet. MHHW= 11.0'. 10% bottom clearance required.
3. Nate Fernow pursued a customer complaint concerning Durkee Type I hanging up in a bin. Customer had no aeration to silo. Air turned on and material flowed fine. Customer said they did not have to use air in the past.
4. Stoneways construction superintendent outlined plans for clinker silo conversion. They will install a permanent truck hopper and connect it with our belt system over the water. This is something new.
5. Tax assessor from King County visited plant and asked questions regarding mothballed equipment and assets. See Mr. Wheeler.
- 12/8 6. Advised retirees that unused and accrued vacation would be paid in bi-monthly installments. Pension payments would be made monthly beginning on their first day of retirement. Those being terminated will get their payments as a lump sum on 1/15/88.
7. Projected year end cement inventories; West - 28831 tons, East - 24,400.
8. Need information on 1988 forecasted volume. Last 1988 forecast was for 110,000 to 130,000 tons at East Terminal.

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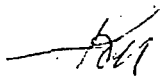


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9. Approved sale of VBLS tank to Rhone-Poulenc, Inc., for \$10K. Advised them to hold-up upon learning of our need for such a tank for waste oil.
10. MSHA seminar for all employees concerning overhead transmission lines and automobile safety.
11. No Accidents, No Visitors.

  
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